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Mail Stop Patent Application
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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For (title):   ARTICLES DERIVED FROM POLYMERIC BLENDS

1.   **Type of Application**

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

2.   **Papers Enclosed**
    A.   Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

14 Pages of Specification
4 Pages of Claims

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B. Other Papers Enclosed

2 Pages of declaration and power of attorney
1 Page of abstract
2 Pages of Application Data Sheet

3. **Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed

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Inventor

4. **Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

5. **Language**

English

6. **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a)
					$750.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	25	- 20 =	5 x	$18.00	$90.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	2	- 3 =	0 x	$84.00	$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	$280.00	$0.00
		Filing Fee Calculation			$840.00

7.   **Small Entity Statement**

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8.   **Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

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10.   **Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

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37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), (c) or (d) (presentation of extra claims)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to SECTION 1.136(a))

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